



MORGAN HILL UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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April 14, 2008

The Honorable Mayor and City Council and
Members of the Coyote Valley Specific Plan Task Force
City of San Jose
200 East Santa Clara Street
San Jose, CA 95113-1905

Re: Coyote Valley Plan – A Vision for Sustainable Development

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In light of the proposed recommendation from the Coyote Valley Specific Plan Task Force to the City Council of the City of San Jose at its meeting of April 22, 2008, to accept the "Coyote Valley Plan – A Vision for Sustainable Development," we state for the record that while we have had numerous discussions and meetings over the past five years with City of San Jose Planners and land developers related to the Coyote Valley Specific Plan, the Morgan Hill Unified School District Board of Education has never voted to approve or agree to any elements of the Plan related to schools.

The school district's position has always been that any plan involving schools to serve the new area must include provisions so that the financing of school facilities will not be a burden to the current residents of the Morgan Hill Unified School District. In addition, the District has not resolved the location, size or number of schools needed for the Plan.

We look forward to continued discussions when and if residential development takes place in the Coyote Valley area.

Sincerely,

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Julia Hover-Smoot
President, Board of Education

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dr. Alan K. Nishino".

Dr. Alan K. Nishino
Superintendent

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